SOCCER STUDY GUIDE (KEY POINTS TO REMEMBER)

- A regulation soccer team consists of 11 players.
- After the ball goes out of bounds on the sideline a throwin is used to put the ball back into play.
- Both feet must be in contact with the ground when a throw-in is made.
- If the offense touches the ball before it goes over the end line, it is a goal kick
- If the defense touches the ball before it goes over the end line, offense is awarded a corner kick.
- A goal in soccer is worth 1 point.
- A handball will be called if it touches any part of the body shoulders to fingertips.
- Dribbling is a series of taps with one or two feet.
- Trapping the ball is when you stop the ball with the bottom or side of your foot in order to gain control.
- England is considered the birthplace of soccer.
- A kick-off is an indirect kick used to put the ball in play from the center circle at the beginning of each half and after a goal is scored.
- Soccer was introduced into the United States around 1870.